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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, UN AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF DEFENCE AND FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MDFA) HAS INFORMED EMBOFF THAT GSL IS BASICALLY SYMPATHETIC TO U.S. POSITION ON UN PAY INCREASE ISSUE AND FOUND USG ARGUMENTS, PROVIDED IN AIDE MEMOIRE GIVEN TO MDFA NOVEMBER 19, VERY CONVINCING. GSL'S ATTITUDE HAS BEEN CONVEYED TO NEW YORK IN LETTER TO SHIRLEY AMERASINGHE, SRI LANKA'S PERM REP. MDFA WILL NOT, HOWEVER, ISSUE SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS AS REPRESENTA-TIVE ON FIFTH COMMITTEE, DR. LAL JAYAWARDENE, IS BEING ALLOWED CONSIDERABLE LEEWAY ON FIFTH COMMITTEE MATTERS DEPENDING ON HOW VARIOUS ISSUES DEVELOP. WORD HERE IS THAT JAYAWARDENE WILL SOON BE REPLACING YOGASUNDRAM AS SRI LANKA'S DEPUTY PERM REP TO UN. SUGGEST USUN FOLLOW UP WITH JAYAWARDENE WHO APPARENTLY WILL HAVE FINAL SAY IN MATTER. BYRNE

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